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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) FGX-100US
In re Application of Kanwaljit Singh Girm et al.		
Application Number 10/010,706		Filed December 4, 2001
For FAMILY HISTORY BASED GENETIC SCREENING METHOD AND APPARATUS		
Art Unit 1631	Examiner Cheyne D. Ly	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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- ☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ _____
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$ _____
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$ _____

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____.

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I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a)

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Name (Print/Type)	Jacques L. Ekowicz	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	41,738
Signature		Date	October 24, 2003

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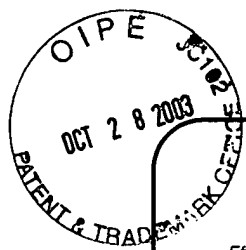
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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

Effective 01/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 420

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/010,706
Filing Date	December 4, 2001
First Named Inventor	Kanwaljit Singh Girm et al.
Examiner Name	Cheyne D. Ly
Art Unit	1631
Attorney Docket No.	FGX-100US

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☒ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other ☐ None

☒ Deposit Account:

Deposit Account Number: 18-0350
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	2001	770	385			Utility filing fee	
1002	2002	340	170			Design filing fee	
1003	2003	530	265			Plant filing fee	
1004	2004	750	385			Reissue filing fee	
1005	2005	160	80			Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims -20** =	0	X	0
Independent Claims -3** =	0	X	0
Multiple Dependent		X	0

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	2202	18	9			Claims in excess of 20
1201	2201	86	43			Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	2203	290	145			Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	2204	86	43			** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	2205	18	9			** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	2051	130	65			Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	2052	50	25			Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
1053	1053	130	130			Non-English specification	
1812	1812	2,520	2,520			For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	1804	920*	920*			Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1805	1,840*	1,840*			Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	2251	110	55			Extension for reply within first month	
1252	2252	420	210			Extension for reply within second month	420
1253	2253	950	475			Extension for reply within third month	
1254	2254	1,480	740			Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2255	2,010	1,005			Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	2401	330	165			Notice of Appeal	
1402	2402	330	165			Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	2403	290	145			Request for oral hearing	
1451	1451	1,510	1,510			Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	2452	110	55			Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	2453	1,330	665			Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	2501	1,330	665			Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	2502	480	240			Design issue fee	
1503	2503	640	320			Plant issue fee	
1460	1460	130	130			Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	1807	50	50			Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	1806	180	180			Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	8021	40	40			Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	2809	770	385			Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	2810	770	385			For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	2801	770	385			Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	1802	900	900			Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 420

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